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In re application of

: Confirmation No. 5291

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Sir:

Petition hereby is made for a three month extension of time to respond to the communication of January 24, 2006.

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- (X) submitted herewith.
- to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed
- () Small entity status of this application is established by a Small Entity Status Assertion which
 - () is enclosed.
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Attached hereto is a check in the amount of \$1,020.00 to cover Patent Office fees relating to filing the following attached papers:

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975, with the EXCEPTION of deficiencies in fees for multiple dependent claims in new applications.

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